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TOMOGRAPHY BY PATH LENGTH ENCODED ANGULAR
COMPOUNDING
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF
DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION**

SIR:

Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) in response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification ("Notice"), mailed April 17, 2009. This Amendment and Remarks are provided after the mailing of the Notice of Allowance but before payment of the issue fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a).

Kindly amend the above-identified application before examination as follows: